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Mr. Huan Tran Quality Manager Diazyme Laboratories 3550 General Atomics Court San Diego, CA 92121

Re:

k053566

Trade/Device Name: Diazyme Potassium Enzymatic Assay

Regulation Number: 21 CFR§862.1600 Regulation Name: Potassium test system

Regulatory Class: Class II Product Code: MZV Dated: January 18, 2006 Received: January 19, 2006

Dear Mr. Tran:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in Title 21, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Parts 800 to 895. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Parts 801 and 809); and good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820).

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your Section 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific information about the application of labeling requirements to your device, or questions on the promotion and advertising of your device, please contact the Office of In Vitro Diagnostic Device Evaluation and Safety at (240) 276-0484. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR Part 807.97). You may obtain other general information on your responsibilities under the Act from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its Internet address http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/industry/support/index.html.

Sincerely yours,

Alberto Gutierrez, Ph.D.

Director

Division of Chemistry and Toxicology Office of In Vitro Diagnostic Device

Evaluation and Safety

Center for Devices and Radiological Health

Enclosure

Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known): k053566
Device Name: Diazyme Potassium Enzymatic Assay Kit
Indications for Use:
Diazyme Potassium Enzymatic Assay Kit in conjunction with Diazyme Potassium Low and High Calibrators, are intended for the quantitative in vitro determination of potassium in human serum. Measurements obtained by this assay are used to monitor electrolyte balance.
Diazyme Potassium Enzymatic Assay has controls for normal serum potassium level and abnormal serum potassium level. The controls are used as reference samples for checking the functionality of the Diazyme Potassium Enzymatic Assay.
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Prescription Use AND/OR Over-The-Counter Use (21 CFR 807 Subpart C)
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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of In Vitro Diagnostic Devices (OIVD)